

EASY TIME FOR SPAULDING

Defeated Northfield High School 33 to 9

SHOWING GOOD TEAM WORK

Features Were Basket Shooting of A. Averill and Maiden for Winners and Work of Buzzell and Joslyn for Northfield.

The Spaulding high school basketball team had an easy time last evening with the Northfield high school five, defeating them by a score of 33 to 9. The game between the second teams of the two schools also resulted in a victory for Spaulding, the final score being 22 to 5. The two first teams were about evenly matched in size, the local team showed the result of more practice and experience in the game. The work of Maiden and Arthur Averill in shooting baskets for Spaulding was a feature, each making five baskets from the floor. Buzzell and Joslyn did the best work for the visitors. Owing to the Central Vermont train being over two hours late, the Northfield team did not arrive until 9:15 o'clock, and it was 9:30 before the game started.

The summary:

Spaulding.	Northfield.
Grigg, r. f. 1 g. Roger	Maiden, c. 1 g. Buzzell
Averill, c. 1 g. Joslyn	Riley, r. f. 1 g. LaMorda
H. Averill, r. g. 1 f. Sanborn	Baskets from the floor, Riley 3, A. Averill 5, Grigg 2, Maiden 5, LaMorda 1, Joslyn 2, Roger 1; baskets from fouls, A. Averill 3, Buzzell 1; referees, McCleod, umpire, Mercer; time, 15-minute halves.

GRANITEVILLE WON.

Defeated Newly Formed Barre Athletics Team, 32 to 25.

The newly formed basketball team called the Barre Athletics played its initial game at Hale's pavilion last evening, its opponents being the Graniteville athletic association team. Graniteville won the game by a score of 32 to 25 in three periods of play.

The Graniteville team made its gain in the first period by its team work and shooting. While Barre was unable to give much of an exhibition owing to lack of practice. The score at the end of the first period stood 10 to 4 in favor of Graniteville.

In the second period Smith played center in place of Crapo, giving the latter a chance to play his usual position of forward, and this gave the hill boys a run for their money, the score at the end of the period being 20 to 20 in favor of Graniteville.

The third period was the fastest of the game and neither side had much advantage. Barre scoring five points to Graniteville's six, making the total 32 to 25 in favor of the latter team.

The features of the game were the basket shooting of Bruce, Crapo and McLeay and a long throw to basket by Armstrong.

The line-up:

Athletics.	Graniteville A. A.
Smith, Crapo, l. f. 1 g. Miles	Clark, r. f. 1 g. Armstrong
Crapp, Smith, c. 1 g. McLeay	McDonald, Dumas, r. g. 1 f. Bruce
Knap, l. g. 1 f. Bruce	

Summary: Goals from the floor, Bruce 5, McLeay 5, Crapo 5, Clark 4, Knapp 2, Miles, Armstrong, McLeay; from fouls, Bruce 5, Smith; referees, DuBois; umpire, Mariani; timekeeper, Clark; time, three 15-minute periods.

NORWICH WAS BEATEN.

In Fast, Rough Game by New Hampshire State.

Northfield, Feb. 1.—New Hampshire state college defeated Norwich university her last night at basketball by a score of 25 to 10 in a fast, rough game. The visitors started in with a rush and did some fine passing and had a lead of 14 to 0 at the end of the first half. In the second half Norwich rallied and was able to make one more point than their opponents, but were unable to overcome

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the long lead in the first period. The New Hampshire boys had a strong team and the advantage in weight. Hammond for the visitors and Carpenter for Norwich played the best game.

The line-up:

N. H. State.	Norwich.
Hammond, r. g. 1 g. Carpenter	Sanborn, l. f. 1 g. M. Carpenter
Cone (capt.), c. 1 g. Wilder	Kennedy, l. f. 1 g. Ames
Wright, r. f. 1 g. Barney (capt.)	

Summary, score 25 to 10; baskets from the floor, Carpenter 5, Wilder, Barney, Kennedy 3, Wright, Cone 2, Sanborn 3, Hammond 2; baskets from fouls, Carpenter, Barney, Wright; referees, Lardoux, N. U. 11; time, two 20-minute periods.

ORIENTAL BANK OF NEW YORK CLOSED.

Line of Depositors, Worried About Their Money, Stood in the Cold for Hours.

New York, Feb. 1.—The Oriental bank at 184 Broadway, on which a run of depositors was started Thursday, did not open for business yesterday. A notice was posted on its doors announcing that the institution was closed by order of the state superintendent of banks.

The Oriental is a state bank, having a capital stock of \$750,000. According to its last statement, it owed to individual depositors \$7,507,811, and to banks, bankers and brokers \$3,477,252. It had a surplus fund of \$912,000 and undivided profits of \$309,947.

G. S. Leonard, a state bank examiner, was placed in charge of the institution. A branch of the Oriental bank at 123 Bowery was also closed.

A line of depositors was formed in front of the main offices in Broadway at an early hour yesterday and when the hour for opening arrived there were about 75 in line, some of whom had been standing for several hours in the cold. As soon as the closing was announced this line melted away.

The recent troubles of the Oriental bank date from the failure of the Borough bank of Brooklyn and the International Trust company in October last.

Charles E. Levy, one of the directors of the bank, announced that none of the depositors would suffer any loss in consequence of its closing.

THE NEW BREECHES BUOY.

It Is Fitted With Signal Lights and Can Be Used at Night as in the Day.

After having been in use for over a century without improvement or change, the breeches buoy used by organized life saving crews has been improved by a device that has just been adopted by the United States life saving service. The main difficulty with the breeches buoy as heretofore constructed has been that at night when it left the shore no one knew definitely where it was, whether it had reached the wrecked ship or not, or whether any one had got in unless the mariners had lights on the vessel.

John W. Dalton of Gloucester, known to mariners all along the Massachusetts coast, is the inventor of the device. The improvement in question comprises, speaking in general terms, a small case mounted on an inflated rubber cushion and surrounded by four small hollow posts which are affixed to the rubber cushion buoy and on top to a square steel spreader.

In the case is a storage battery that operates a set of lamps. One light, a green device, is started out to the vessel; the other light, a white one, shows down through the rubber cushion into the breeches, enabling the shipwrecked people to see how to get into the apparatus. Another white light shows toward the shore until the breeches buoy is occupied, when it automatically turns to a bright red, going back to white again when the passenger is landed.

Under the old system, when the breeches buoy was sent out to a wreck it was often hauled back to the shore by the lifesavers before it had reached its destination. Now the position of the breeches buoy will always be known to those on shore and on the wreck. The green light moving toward the vessel mutually tells the shipwrecked passengers that help is at hand and encourages them to hold on until the buoy reaches them. As soon as one of the imperiled mariners gets into the breeches, the red light signals to those on land to haul the passenger ashore.

The rubber cushion prevents the occupant from being injured by the block striking him while being dragged through the surf. Numbers of persons have been severely injured while being saved from a wreck by the big iron traveling block as the vessel lurched back and forth.—Scientific American.

STANDARD OIL OBTAINS SOUTH AFRICAN MONOPOLY

Controls Interests of Shell Transport and Trading Company.

London, Feb. 1.—The correspondent of the Daily Mail at Durban announces in a dispatch that the Standard Oil company has acquired the South African trading interests of the Shell Transport and Trading company, limited, thus establishing a monopoly in South Africa.

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KICKS AGAINST FINANCE BILLS

Hamilton of Illinois Opposes Aldrich and Fowler Measures

WANTS MCKINEYS PLAN

Former President of American Bankers' Association Appears Before House Committee and Talks Against Adoption of Legislation.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.—Former President John L. Hamilton of the American Banking association, appearing before the House committee on banking and currency yesterday, in the course of a vigorous statement frequently interrupted by questions by members of the committee, took a position squarely behind the McKinley financial bill representing the views of the Chicago Banking association, and in opposition to the bills introduced by Senator Aldrich and Representative Fowler.

The scheme of the Aldrich bill for the issuance of emergency currency on such security as the bonds of states, counties, municipalities and corporations, was denounced by Mr. Hamilton as "impuncturable, unwise and financially unsound." The bill, he said, would operate as a false inducement of those bonds authorized as "securities" and would become a premium on increase of bonded indebtedness which would be highly detrimental to bond issues. The marketing of non-government securities, he said, should be no part of the nation's business.

"Crises," he said, "are short, sharp and dangerously decisive; the Aldrich bill is a remedy offered after recovery or after death."

Referring to the Fowler bill, Mr. Hamilton said it had some meritorious features, but it aims at so radical a reform of the currency system that to put it in operation "would unsettle rather than mend financial conditions."

FOR ARBITRATION.

Favorable Report on the Bill on Labor Disputes.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.—The House committee on interstate and foreign commerce yesterday authorized a favorable report on the Townsend arbitration bill, which provides, as reported yesterday, for an arbitrary investigation of such difficulties between employers and employees as have reached a magnitude to materially interfere with federal rights, such as the movement of interstate commerce, the transportation of mails or of troops and military supplies, etc.

AMERICAN SCHOOL TEACHER MURDERED IN PHILIPPINES.

Anna E. Hahn Slain at Batangas, on the Island of Luzon.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.—Anna E. Hahn, one of the first American school teachers to go to the Philippines, was murdered at Batangas, island of Luzon, on Jan. 29, according to a dispatch received at the bureau of insular affairs yesterday. No details are given.

Miss Hahn was a native of Indiana, and was appointed to her position from that state July 15, 1901.

STUDENTS STRIKE.

Sixty-five Walk Out in Ohio to Win Point.

Bellairs, O., Feb. 1.—Because the faculty refused to rescind its action in expelling fifteen students recently for the burning in effigy of the president of the institution, sixty-five students of Bethany college have gone on a strike. Twenty-five girls of the school out of an enrollment of thirty are among the strikers.

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SHOT FOUR BEARS THAT CHEWED SPRUCE GUM

Haynes Knocked Over Three Big Cubs Back Out of Spruce Tree, Then the Angry Mother Charged Him.

Great Pond, Me., Feb. 1.—Bert Haynes, who, during open time on big game, conducts a sporting camp on the shores of Pemadumcook lake, beyond Norcross, went out hunting in the late days of January, and after a long search along the shores of Great pond discovered a yearling bear in the dense brush of a pasture spruce, whether it is presumed the animal had climbed to secure the customary chew of spruce gum, which every Maine bear is said to secure before entering upon its winter sleep.

He tumbled the big cub over with a shot from his rifle. It had picked nearly half a pound of clear gum and was rapidly chewing.

Maine bears, as a rule, den up late in October or in early November, as soon as the unharvested apples are eaten.

He had scarcely finished skinning the cub when he saw another young bear backing down the tree. This second arrival was shot and before it had more than hit the ground, a third cub of large size appeared from the same tree, chewing gum like its two predecessors. Then, as if propelled from a catapult, the old mother bear charged out of the evergreen underbrush with her mouth open and uttering angry grunts.

"I started to argue with myself," he said, "for I felt sure that if I did kill the old bear another bear would come along, and they would keep coming until all the shots in my magazine rifle would be exhausted. I never came to my mind that it was possible for me to run away. I could not budge a step."

"I felt as if I did not have another half a minute to live. Then, when the bear was not 20 feet away, the spell broke and I raised my rifle to my right hip and without faltering aim I pulled the trigger and stood still there. The bear fell dead at my feet."

"All the bears were very fat, and though three of them were small, I received \$42 for the pelts in Ellsworth, and I have bears' oil enough on hand to bring \$12 in Bangor, to say nothing of tender meat. But for all that I would not go through that trial again for \$1,000."

PROPOSED HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE.

To Include Base Ball Teams of Five of the Cities of the State.

From Rutland comes the report that a high school base ball league will be formed among the cities of the state the coming spring and in expression, in substance and in form of expression, it is the great paper of this administration. I contain the material out of which the next Republican platform must be written.

"It is a strong appeal to the people for the regeneration of American business. That movement will go on to completion in this country as it has in Great Britain and other countries, where they took it up years ago. It is the great fighting message."

CHANCELLOR DAY BREAKS LOOSE AGAIN.

The Chancellor Denounces President as "Slandering and Demagogic."

Syracuse, N. Y., Feb. 1.—Chancellor James R. Day of Syracuse university yesterday afternoon gave out the following interview on President Roosevelt's message which was read in Congress yesterday.

"If I am entirely honest and frank I am compelled to say that much of it reads like the ravings of a disordered mind, and other portions on the assumption made to class prejudice is largely the suggestion of the adroit and cunning, the shrewd but reckless demagogue."

"I speak thus freely because the message is plainly not a message to Congress but a harangue to the people."

"When a president enters the popular forum he must expect to be answered in the terms of his discussion. It is not the president who is speaking, and he cannot cover his unjust personal assaults with the dignity of the office which he has laid aside and which he does not respect."

"The whole message is his familiar ranting against what he calls 'criminal wealth,' and it proceeds on the assumption that so great a percentage of the corporate business of this country is so corrupt as to demand separate messages to Congress; popular harangues and the entire attention of Congress in a volume of corrective legislation such as the world has never seen."

"The crime of it is in the fact that we were just beginning to recover a little of our confidence which had been overthrown by wild assaults from the same sources—a few wheels had begun to turn—a few men were fighting their way back into the shops where capital was timidly venturing to start again—a few men were wandering the streets hungry and cold, begging for employment that they might earn bread for starving wives and children—when down upon them comes this cruel attack upon those great forms of business upon

A SPUR TO CONGRESS

President Resents Do-nothing Proposition

DAVIS WANTS 10,000 COPIES

Best Democratic Doctrine from a Republican Source—Chancellor Day Says Roosevelt Slanders the Standard Oil Co.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.—President Roosevelt's special message to Congress, read in both houses yesterday afternoon, has caused widespread comment throughout the country.

In the message the President called for drastic measures to curb wealth, railroads, trusts and stock dealing; branded Standard Oil and Santa Fe magnates as falsifiers; flayed those who criticize his administration as "treachery of the corrupt rich; called for the enactment of labor issues, notably a limited employers' liability law and injunction measure; and declared that he will give battle to corruption wherever found and whether prosperity suffers or not.

It is understood that the President has deeply resented the determination of Congress that this is to be a "do nothing" session. This message is intended to be the rallying cry in a fight which the President will make for legislation at this session.

As soon as the President's message had been concluded Senator Jeff Davis of Arkansas, who, a few minutes before had been on the Republican side laughing with certain senators about the message, sprang to his feet and said:

"Mr. President I move that 10,000 copies of the President's message be printed. It is the best Democratic doctrine I ever heard from a Republican source."

The motion was agreed to and the message was referred. The reading of the message was referred.

As the reading of the message progressed in the House, members were heard audibly to exclaim "Most unusual" "This is not bad" etc.

The President's various denunciations of wrongdoers was greeted with loud applause, as was his defense of Federal Judges who punish offenders for violation of the law.

The frequency of the applause increased as the reading proceeded. But the climax came when the reading was concluded. Without regard to party, the members loudly applauded, cheered, thumped their desks and gave other evidences of their approval of the document. After a momentary silence, the applause broke out again, several members, including many Democrats, rising from their seats and clapping their hands.

The message then, on motion of Mr. Payne of New York, was referred to the committee on the state of the union.

Mr. Otis James of Kentucky produced laughter and Democratic applause when he tauntingly inquired of Mr. Payne:

"How many additional thousand copies do you desire for circulation?"

Mr. Payne replied laughingly, "On the usual number."

"Speaking of the message," Senator La Follette of Wisconsin said: "It is the strongest statement of the case of the people that the President has ever put forward. In matter and in manner, in substance and in form of expression, it is the great paper of this administration. I contain the material out of which the next Republican platform must be written."

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EXPLOSION AT ARSENAL.

Five Persons Are Thereby Injured in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 1.—Five persons were injured, three seriously, yesterday, by an explosion and fire at the Frankford arsenal in the extreme northeastern section of the city. The explosion was a slight one and occurred in the refinery room of the shrapnel department. A large number of girls are employed in the place making cartridges for the army, and there was a panic among them, which, however, was quickly allayed.

REPORTS AGAINST SUPT. KELSEY

Said to Declare That All Charges Are Substantiated.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 1.—Governor Hughes has received the report of Matthew C. Fleming, the special commissioner appointed by the governor to investigate Superintendent Otto Kelsey's management of the state insurance department. The report, which contains 18,000 words, will not be given out for publication at present, and the governor refused to divulge any of its contents.

Wreck on Boston & Maine.

Franklin, N. H., Feb. 1.—The Concord division of the Boston & Maine railroad was blocked for several hours yesterday by a head-on collision near East Andover between a light engine and a local freight train. Engineer William Lake of Concord was cut about the face and shoulders by jumping into a barbed wire fence. None of the other train hands were injured.

As It Might Have Been?

Mrs. Houlihan (Sobbing)—I never saw you till this day before me unforfeited marriage!

Mrs. Houlihan—An! I often wish you hadn't seen me till this day after!

Puck.

FIRST TO WEAR OUT WITH AGE

Prescription is Valued by Elderly People

RELIEVES CHRONIC CASES

Anyone Can Fix It at Home, Though Harmless and Inexpensive It Relieves All Forms of Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

The great majority of men and women at the age of 50 years begin to feel the first signs of advancing age in some form of kidney trouble and bladder weakness. Few are entirely free from that torturous disease, rheumatism, which is not a disease in itself, but a symptom of an unbalanced function of the kidneys, which have become clogged and sluggish, failing in their duty of filtering and straining the poisonous waste matter, uric acid, etc., from the blood, permitting it to remain and decompose, setting about the joints and muscles, causing intense pain and suffering.

The bladder, however, causes the old folks the most annoyance, especially at night and early morning.

A noted authority in a recent article stated that he has wonderful success with the old-time "vegetable treatment." He states: "Of sixteen cases of bladder troubles and rheumatism which have been treated with this treatment only one very complicated case failed to fully yield to its remarkable influence. It is the most harmless treatment I have ever found to remove irritation of the bladder and relieve urinary difficulties of the old people. It is a true vitalizing tonic to the entire kidney and urinary structure, reinvigorating the entire system."

What he terms "old vegetable treatment" consists of the following simple prescription, the ingredients of which can be obtained from any good pharmacy at small cost: Compound Karpou, one ounce; Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, one-half ounce. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and upon going to bed, also drink plenty of water.

This prescription, though simple, is always effective in the diseases and afflictions of the kidneys and bladder.

UNIONS HELPING ACCUSED TRAINMEN.

They Have Lawyers For Two in Court Charged With Causing Death in a Wreck.

Augusta, Me., Feb. 1.—The trial of Conductor E. B. Dunbar and Engineer H. E. Thayer of the Maine Central railroad on the charge of manslaughter in causing the death of Frank E. Belenger, a brakeman, in a wreck at Benson station yesterday. This is the first instance in recent years where a railroad wreck has figured in the criminal courts.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Order of Railway Conductors and the Order of Railway Trainmen have voted financial aid to the respondents and have secured legal talent for their defense.

JAMESON RESIGNS.

Famous South African Raider Retires from Office.

Cape Town, Cape Colony, Feb. 1.—Dr. Leander Starr Jameson, premier and secretary for native affairs of Cape Colony, has resigned. He assumed the office in February, 1904.

The resignation of Dr. Jameson is largely the result of the defeat of his party in the Cape Colony parliamentary elections now in progress. Although best known as a raider, Dr. Jameson was popular, and he has done more than any other man to reconcile the English and the Dutch.

WIFE SUES RUBEN WADDELL.

Divorce Sought in Philadelphia on Ground of Desertion.

Philadelphia, Feb. 1.—May Waddell has brought suit for divorce in the common pleas court against "Ruben" Waddell, a professional pitcher. The suit is based on the grounds of desertion. Thaddeus Krause is counsel for Mrs. Waddell. No papers were filed other than a memorandum showing that a suit had been brought.

Waddell has had matrimonial troubles before this. About two years ago, while living in Camden, N. J., Waddell's domestic troubles were aired. But that Mrs. Waddell had contemplated divorce proceedings at this time comes as a surprise to his friends and to baseball followers generally.

NINE DEAD IN MINE DISASTER.

Explosion in New River Colliery, West Virginia.

Charleston, W. Va., Feb. 1.—Nine miners met sudden death yesterday in the New River colliery, known to miners as the Lewis Bone mine, near Harts Creek. An explosion wrecked the mine. About twenty-five men were in the mine at the time. Those who escaped suffered only slight injuries.

Chief Mine Inspector Paul has dispatched four deputy inspectors to investigate the disaster. The cause of the explosion has not been definitely ascertained.

Captain Arnold to Be Rear Admiral.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The President yesterday nominated Captain Cornelius H. Arnold to be rear admiral in the navy.

Too Risky

"A hard chill, pain through the chest, difficult breathing." If this should be your experience, send for your doctor. It may be pneumonia. To doctor yourself would be too risky. If your doctor cannot come at once, give Ayer's Cherry Pector